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PTO/SB/17 (12-0 Approved for use through 7/31/2006. OMB 0651-0032 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no person are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known Effective on 12/08/2004. pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). Patent#: 6,963,941 Pi Application Number Issued: November 8, 2005 Filing Date Terry R. Lee First Named Inventor For FY 2005 ertificat: Examiner Name K. T. Huynh Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 2112 Art Unit M4065.0260/P260 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 100.00 Attorney Docket No. Correction METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Check x Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): Deposit Account Number: 04-1073 Deposit Account Name: Dickstein Shapiro Morin & Oshinsky LLP For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee X | Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of Credit any overpayments fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 **FEE CALCULATION** 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **FILING FEES** SEARCH FEES **EXAMINATION FEES Small Entity Small Entity** Small Entity **Application Type** Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) 200 100 Utility 300 150 500 250 Design 200 100 100 50 130 65 200 100 300 150 160 80 Plant 300 250 600 300 150 500 Reissue 200 100 0 Provisional 0 **Small Entity** 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee Description Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 50 25 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) 200 100 Multiple dependent claims 360 180 Fee Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims **Total Claims Extra Claims** Fee Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) Indep. Claims **Extra Claims** Fee (\$) 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). Fee Paid (\$) **Total Sheets** Extra Sheets Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof Fee (\$) - 100 = (round up to a whole number) x /50 4. OTHER FEE(S) Fees Paid (\$) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount) 100.00 Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1811 Certificate of correction SUBMITTED BY Registration No. 28,371 Telephone (202) 828-2232 Signature # 41, 198

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.323

Attention: Certificate of Correction Branch Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted typographical errors which should be corrected.

In the Specification, the PTO made the following errors to be corrected:

Column 6, line 49, "B2"" should read --B2""--; and

Column 9, line 63, "B2"" should read --B2""--.

In the Specification, Applicant made the following errors to be corrected:

Column 3, line 47, "effected." should read --affected.--;

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Column 12, line 14, "application" should read --applications--; and

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Column 12, line 14, "invention but are" should read --invention are--.

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Claim 36, column 15, line 42, "portions" should read --portion--.

The errors were both found in the application as filed by Applicant and made by the PTO. Please charge our Credit Card in the amount of \$100.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.20(a). Credit Card Payment Form SB-2038, with a signature from an authorized cardholder, is enclosed.

The errors now sought to be corrected are inadvertent typographical errors the correction of which does not involve new matter or require reexamination.

Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting such amendment. Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. M4065.0260/P260.

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